

HOUSE RESOLUTION 215

By Stanley

A RESOLUTION to recognize and honor the students of Chimneyrock Elementary School for their participation in Jump Rope for Heart.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should recognize those students who, through their admirable efforts, have distinguished themselves as community servants of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, the children of Chimneyrock Elementary School comprise one such estimable group of students who participated in Jump Rope for Heart during February 1-7, 2006, and raised money for the American Heart Association; and

WHEREAS, by securing donations and jumping rope, Chimneyrock Elementary School students raised money for the fight against heart disease and stroke; last year, Chimneyrock Elementary students raised \$17,400, and during the past ten years, they have raised a total of \$185,000; and

WHEREAS, Jump Rope for Heart shows the value of physical activity to elementary school children while enabling them to contribute to their community's welfare; and

WHEREAS, Jump Rope for Heart seeks to raise public awareness of heart disease by educating people about the seriousness of heart disease and stroke, the lifelong benefits of physical activity, and the importance of living a heart-healthy lifestyle; and

WHEREAS, Chimneyrock Elementary is a two-time top fundraiser for Jump Rope for Heart in Tennessee, and during the past ten years, the school has always finished in the top five in Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, with over 900 students participating in 2006, the children of Chimneyrock Elementary serve as a shining example of the exceptional quality of the youth of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, this legislative body wishes to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize the students of one of Tennessee's most outstanding elementary schools; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we recognize and honor the students of Chimneyrock Elementary School for their meritorious service to the American Heart Association and to the citizens of the State of Tennessee and wish them every success in all their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.